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RE: **EM-SPRINT-039-180131** – Sprint notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 97 Chaplin Road, Eastford, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Pelletier:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on January 31, 2018.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

Staff has reviewed this exempt modification request for completeness and has identified a discrepancy between the Structural Analysis Report dated November 9, 2017 and the site plan sheet numbers A-2 and S-1 and Mount Augmentation site plan that are dated January 29 and January 25, 2018, respectively. Provide an updated Structural Analysis Report that accounts for the data referenced in the above referenced site plans which requires installing additional mount hardware.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that SBA provide an Updated Structural Analysis Report including the additional mount hardware on or before March 16, 2018. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to March 16, 2018.

This notice of incompleteness shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

MAB/FC

c: The Honorable Jacqueline Dubois, First Selectman, Town of Eastford
Sue Yorgensen, Planning Agent, Town of Eastford
Desiato Sand and Gravel, Property Owner

